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Attention Provider Type 63 (Residential Treatment Center):

**Residential Treatment Center Managed Care Contracts Effective
January 1, 2022**

Effective January 1, 2022, a new Nevada Medicaid managed care contract will be in place. In the new contract, managed care entities will be responsible for the coverage of recipients in need of Residential Treatment Center (RTC) level of care. Recipients who are mandatorily enrolled in managed care will no longer be disenrolled the next administrative month following placement with a provider type (PT) 63 RTC. This change will require managed care entities to credential with RTCs or establish single case agreements for reimbursement of recipient stays. Managed care entities will be responsible for the utilization management of these recipients, including approving authorization and placement into an RTC as well as continued stays at an RTC.

The Division of Health Care Financing and Policy (DHCFP) is planning for the new managed care entity contracts to be executed no later than October 2021. At that time, the Division will release to the newly awarded managed care entities information on PT 63 providers currently enrolled with Nevada Medicaid. Please be aware that managed care entities will likely begin contacting RTC facilities to credential and partner with them to ensure the recipients assigned to their caseloads have sufficient access to the RTC level of care.

Providers who have additional questions related to this web announcement may contact Theresa Carsten, DHCFP Chief of Managed Care and Quality Assurance, at Theresa.Carsten@dncfp.nv.gov or Jaimie Evins, DHCFP Program Specialist of Managed Care Contracting and Compliance, at JEvins@dncfp.nv.gov.